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In re application of:

LO *et al.*

Application No.: 09/944,951

Filed: August 31, 2001

For: METHODS FOR DETECTING
DNA ORIGINATING FROM
DIFFERENT INDIVIDUALS

Examiner: Jeanine Anne Goldberg

Art Unit: 1634

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.322 and 37 C.F.R. 1.323 Applicants submit a Certificate of Correction correcting printing errors made at the time of printing of the patent and correcting minor errors inadvertently left uncorrected by Applicants. The desired corrections are set forth on form PTO/SB/44, enclosed.

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PATENT NO. : 6,927,028 B2
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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Cover page at item (12), says "**Dennis et al.**", replace with --**Lo et al.**--
 Cover page at item (75), says "**Lo Yuk Ming Dennis**", replace with --**Yuk Ming Dennis Lo**--
 Cover page at item (75), says "**Poon Lit Man**", replace with --**Lit Man Poon**--
 Cover page at item (73), before "**Chinese University of Hong Kong**", insert --**The**--
 Cover Page at item (56), left column, says "Chen et al., "Fetal DNA in Mataernal", replace with --Chen et al., "Fetal DNA in Maternal--
 Cover Page at item (56), right column, line 2, says "Paternallyy", replace with --Paternally--
 Page 2, right column, line 4, says "*HumMol*", replace with --*Hum Mol*--
 Page 2, right column, line 26, says "CLinical", replace with --Clinical--
 Column 1, line 36, says "Lo et al.", replace with --Lo et al.,--
 Column 1, line 48, says "(1998).", replace with --(1998)).--
 Column 1, line 54, says "(1994).", replace with --(1994)).--
 Column 1, line 57, says "Esteller, et", replace with --Esteller et--
 Column 4, line 13, says "(B1 -B7)", replace with --(B1-B7)--
 Column 4, line 47, says "The", replace with --the--
 Column 6, line 8, says "Lo, et", replace with --Lo et--
 Column 6, line 7, says "Lo, et", replace with --Lo et--
 Column 6, line 8, says "Maloney et al.", replace with --Maloney et al.,--
 Column 6, line 8, says "(1999).", replace with --(1999)).--
 Column 6, line 27, says "Lo, et", replace with --Lo et--

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Column 6, line 39, says "(1995).", replace with --(1995)).--
 Column 7, line 11, says "characterisitic", replace with --characteristic--
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 Column 7, line 44 says "(1997).", replace with --(1997)).--
 Column 8, line 35 says "(1998).", replace with --(1998)).--
 Column 8, line 47 says "(1996).", replace with --(1996)).--
 Column 9, line 35 says "45: 1741", replace with --45:1741--
 Column 9, line 38 says "4390-5.", replace with --4390-5--
 Column 9, line 40, says "(2000).", replace with --(2000)).--
 Column 9, line 41, says "used", replace with --use--
 Column 10, line 23, says " μ L", replace with -- μ l--
 Column 10, line 36, says "AF 125183", replace with --AF125183--
 Column 10, line 67, before "Tris-EDTA", delete --1 μ --
 Column 11, line 7, says "(FE", replace with --(PE--
 Column 11, line 32, says "(2',3'-dideoxyadenine", replace with --2',3'-
 dideoxyadenine--
 Column 11, lines 34 and 35, say "(5'-GGGTTATTTGGGAATAGGATATTA-3';",
 replace with --(5'-GGGTTATTTGGGAATAGGATATTA-3';--
 Column 11, line 40, says "the 3'-end", replace with --the 3'-end--
 Column 11, line 45, says "the 3'-end", replace with --the 3'-end--
 Column 13, line 30, says "Newton et al.", replace with --Newton et al.,--
 Column 13, line 39, says "Kawakami et al.", replace with --Kawakami et al.,--
 Column 13, line 44, says "Avent et al.", replace with --Avent et al.,--

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